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Complaints as rail season tickets to London rise by 9.2%

TRAIN USERS 'RIPPED OFF'

By Oliver Evans

A DECISION to increase the price of rail commuters' season tickets way above the average rise has been branded a "total insult".

Chiltern Railways has announced that Banbury to London season tickets will rise 9.2 per cent, the maximum allowed, from January 2.

It means the cost of a 12-month season ticket will go up from £4,744 to £5,180, an extra £436. A six-month ticket will go from £2,732.60 to £2,983.70.

The Chancellor's autumn statement said regulated fares could rise by an average of 4.2 per cent, one per cent above inflation, in 2013 and 2014.

Last week's news means the operator can charge increases of between 0.8 and 9.2 per cent, as long as its average increase is 4.2 per cent.

But Cherwell Rail Users Group chairman Chris Bates said: "Any rise in excess of inflation in times of austerity is unjust.

"A rise of over double the rate of inflation is a total insult to their customers.

"Chiltern are simply ripping off their customers who have no other realistic way of getting to their place of work."

Chiltern's website says its average increase is 3.5 per cent, "significantly lower than the average industry increase of 3.9 per cent".

Commercial director Thomas Ableman said the firm had to consider "the long-term viability of the franchise".

He said: "We understand that fare increases are hard.

"Currently the costs of running our train service are not covered by the fares we receive from passengers."

First Great Western season tickets from Oxford to the capital will rise 4.2 per cent, taking a 12-month ticket from £4,348 to £4,532.

Yet Mr Ableman said Banbury "is very competitively priced compared to Oxford" on a per-mile basis, and it gets no Government subsidy.

"Our value credentials are important to us but a loss-making company cannot continue to be so much cheaper than our peer group forever."

A return to London at off-peak times during the week and on Saturdays will remain at £27.50.

Hobbit creator's items on show

Banbury Museum's new exhibition about JRR Tolkien includes his hat and a pipe given by him to his brother Hilary, pictured here with exhibitions manager Dale Johnston. See page 5



The Government originally planned a 6.2 per cent average increase but cut this as it "recognises the pressures faced by businesses and passengers".

It comes after criticism of Chiltern timetable changes that took effect on Sunday.

The firm has replaced two non-stop morning services with two that stop at Bicester North.

After meeting Chiltern managing director Rob Brighthouse, Banbury MP Sir Tony Baldry said he had been told the timetable took into account the need to accommodate a new line from Oxford via Bicester to London.

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'Commitment' to driving test centre

DRIVING test bosses have said they are committed to keeping a centre in the Banbury area, after rumours the current facility will shut.

But the Driving Standards Agency refused to confirm or deny whether it will shut the West Bar Street facility in the town.

Spokesman Chris Lee said: "The current lease expires in March 2013 but we are committed to retaining a service in the area."

He refused to comment further, saying the agency is

"considering our options". It comes after Banbury MP Sir Tony Baldry wrote to the agency over "rumours" that the centre will close in March.

He said: "Wherever the driving test is taken, examiners are still needed.

"So I very much doubt that closing the test centre is going to save any money – if at all."

The centre currently has a three-week waiting time for car tests and nine weeks for the motorcycle module 2 test.

Delight for Keep Bloxham Rural campaign

Housing plans both rejected

By Oliver Evans

A DECISION to reject two plans for 160 homes in Bloxham has been welcomed by the parish council.

Cherwell District Council (CDC) rejected plans for 75 homes in Barford Road and 85 in Milton Road.

Bloxham Parish Council chairman Dave Chapman said: "What characterises Bloxham, particularly the centre of the village and its medieval heart, is the variety and diversity of the housing."

"To construct large urban housing estates on to the edge of the village and at the gateways that form entrance points is to destroy the special nature of our village."

The parish council launched a Keep Bloxham Rural campaign, with posters and signs appearing around the village.

The parish council is drawing up a neighbourhood development plan to set out how villagers want Bloxham to develop, he said.

This is a legal document that the district council would have to take into account when making planning decisions.

The parish council's concern at the meeting last Thursday included the impact on flooding and other recent development in the village.

The Banbury Cake last week reported that district council head of strategic planning and the economy Adrian Colwell opposed the plans.

The homes – on top of 224 built since 2001 – would see Bloxham contributing "disproportionately" to district housing need, he said.



Front right, Bloxham Parish Council chairman Dave Chapman and other Keep Bloxham Rural campaigners

Oxfordshire County Council – the local education authority – did not object, saying developers could give cash to expand schools.

But Bicester East district council member Rose Stratford told last week's meeting that Bloxham, Adderbury and Bodicote primaries were full.

She told the CDC's planning committee: "How far can young children be bussed to their school? This is not sustainable."

Bloxham and Bodicote member Chris Heath hit back at arguments that more homes would bring more services. She said: "Having lived in Bloxham myself for over 40 years, I can most definitely state that we have had a lot more housing built in the village in that time, but have a lot less amenities."

The Milton Road plan was rejected as the scheme is outside the built-up limits of Bloxham and would "cause significant harm to the character and appearance of the countryside".

Developer cash could not guarantee adequate infrastructure, the committee agreed.

Gladhan Developments said its plan for Barford Road would help the council meet housing targets and Bloxham is one of the "most sustainable villages in the district". It was not available for comment.

Peter Frampton – consultant for the Milton Road scheme – was also not available for comment. Both have a right of appeal.

The final reasons for why the committee rejected that plan have yet to be announced.

Five due in court over scrap raids

METAL dealers at a north Oxfordshire scrapyard are among 20 people charged with 146 crimes.

A Thames Valley Police specialist team from Operation Symphony has interviewed and charged dealers and staff linked to five scrapyards after raids in May.

Peter Smith, 68, Tommy Smith, 36, Joey Smith, 23, Henry Penfold, 21, and Matthew Miles, 25, were arrested after a raid on scrapyard Smiths of Bloxham. All were

charged with attempting to acquire and conceal criminal property and bailed to appear at Banbury Magistrates' tomorrow.

Senior investigating officer Det Insp Roger Cartwright said: "These charges are part of a complex investigation that my team has been conducting for many months."

"The theft of metal has an immense negative impact on communities and businesses and was a particular risk to the country

during the Olympic Games.

"Thieves will target a range of metals including lead from roofs and utility power cables, resulting in damage to buildings and businesses, as well as causing power cuts."

"Trading in stolen metal is a very profitable business, netting substantial profits for thieves and handlers and causing other huge economic loss. Thanks to police activity, it has become a very risky business for criminals to be in."

■ Nine-year-old does a reading alongside Palin in aid of hospital

Young patient Erin joins the big stars

By Gareth Bethell

THE stars came out last Thursday to create a little Christmas magic for Oxford Children's Hospital.

Monty Python star Michael Palin, actresses Wendy Craig and Hannah Gordon and musical lyricist Sir Tim Rice entertained about 600 people at the Dorchester Abbey Christmas Concert.

There was also a reading from Erin Brewer, nine, from Banbury, who has cystic fibrosis.

She been treated at the hospital since she was born.

The past three concerts have raised a total of £150,000 for the hospital, funding state-of-the-art incubator, specialist equipment that helps sick babies to go through the MRI scanner without being moved from the incubator.

Erin read a speech asking people to donate money.

She said: "I was looking forward to it but I was nervous."

"It's exciting and it's good that people give more money to the hospital."

Her mum Clare Boniface, 30, added: "It's lovely to help the hospital raise funds."

Each celebrity gave a reading specially chosen for the event, followed by a performance from the Winchester Cathedral Choir.

Oxford University Hospitals Trust spokesman Sarah Vaccari said: "The Dorchester committee works tirelessly to create these fabulous events which signal the start of Christmas for us."

"They fund medical equipment that has made a real difference to young lives. We are incredibly grateful for the work everyone put in."



Erin Brewer, nine, from Banbury, teams up with celebrity guests Sir Tim Rice and Michael Palin at the concert

InBRIEF

An award for brave soldier

■ **BANBURY:** An Oxfordshire soldier has been given an award for patching up her team after she had been badly injured by a bomb blast.

Lance Corporal Hayley Ridgeway, 24, from Banbury, was honoured at *The Sun's* Millies ceremony, which will be screened on ITV tomorrow at 9pm, with the Life Saver award.

The medic's legs were blasted by shrapnel, but she spent five-and-a-half hours refusing to be helicoptered to hospital while she treated her injured platoon.

Girl injured in park attack

■ **BANBURY:** A 15-year-old girl was hospitalised after an assault in a park.

She was punched in the face by another teenage girl after she was confronted by a boy and two girls in the People's Park.

The assault happened about 6pm on Tuesday, November 27.

The attacker is described as white, very short, aged between 13 and 16. She was wearing a black jacket with a black hooded top underneath and a yellow scarf.

The victim suffered swelling and bruising to her right eye and was treated at the Horton General Hospital.

Call 101 for information.

No action after arrest

■ **BLOXHAM:** An article in last week's *Banbury Cake* stated that a 31-year-old man arrested at Smiths of Bloxham scrapyard on May 29 had his bail extended.

In fact, no further action was taken by Thames Valley Police. We apologise.



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InBRIEF**Drink-drive arrest made**

■ **BANBURY:** A man was arrested on suspicion of drink-driving within 24 hours of the launch of the police's anti-drug and drink-drive campaign Don't Get Smashed on December 1.

James Campbell-Cook, 29, from Brackley, was arrested in Longelandes Way in Banbury.

He is due before Banbury magistrates on January 7.

■ 48-year-old prison worker had everything to live for says family

Tributes are paid to cyclist killed on road

By Joe Nimmo

TRIBUTES have been paid to a Bicester prison worker who died when his bicycle was involved in a collision with a car.

The devastated family of 48-year-old Dave Parris have said the father-of-two had "so much to live for" and will never be forgotten.

He died following a collision with a silver Ford Escort on the A4421 Neunkirchen Way, near to Langford Village, at about 6pm on Tuesday, December 4.

Two soldiers stopped and performed CPR in an effort to save his life, but he was pronounced dead at the John Radcliffe Hospital in Oxford.

In a statement, Mr Parris's family described "the tragic loss of much-loved David, who will be dearly missed by family and friends".

They wrote: "Dave was a family man who always had time for his friends.

"Dave lived in Banbury until he moved to London where he attended Kingswood Secondary School.

"Dave married and had two beautiful daughters that were everything to him. He later joined the prison service at Pentonville Prison.

"Three years ago he moved back to Banbury and started work at Bullingdon Prison and moved to Bicester to be near his work.

"Dave had so much to live for – to see his two daughters grow up and he had a job he really enjoyed doing.

"He was loved and will never be forgotten by his parents, his daughters, his brothers and sister.

"We would like to thank the police, ambulance service and all the staff at the John Radcliffe Hospital."



Dave Parris

Helping ash trees to fight disease

VOLUNTEERS are being encouraged to adopt an ash tree to help track the development of ash dieback disease as part of a study by an Oxfordshire-based charity.

People can adopt and track the health of trees which are resistant to the disease to help identify those which can be used in future breeding programmes.

Trees which have ash dieback, also known as *Chalara fraxinea* disease, can also be tracked as part of the Adopt an Ash study.

The survey forms part of TreeWatch, an environmental engagement scheme developed by Little Wittenham-based charity the Sylva Foundation.

Volunteers are being asked to select trees that they will be able to survey next year, and to adopt them at www.TreeWatch.com/chalara

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Museum staging a Tolkien exhibition

■ *Lord of the Rings* author's letters, pipe, hat, plus art, on display

THE hat worn during the 1950s by *Lord of the Rings* author JRR Tolkien is among exhibits celebrating his work at Banbury Museum.

Journeys into Middle Earth features paintings by leading Tolkien artist Ted Nasmith and three letters by *The Hobbit* author.

The Canadian artist illustrated the official 2010 Tolkien calendar and was offered a consultant's role on the *Lord of the Rings* movies.

The exhibition also features a pipe given by the Oxford University professor to his brother Hilary, to whom he also addressed the letters.

The items have been lent by grandnephew Chris Tolkien to the Castle Quay shopping centre museum, run by Cherwell District Council.

Paintings include a depiction of wizard Gandalf arriving at Bag End, and of Bilbo and The Eagles.

Exhibitions manager Dale Johnston said: "I have been looking forward to staging the exhibition for several years."

"Visitors have been enjoying Ted Nasmith's inspiring paintings. The letters are a wonderful addition to the exhibition."

The free exhibition includes a dragon treasure

By Oliver Evans

prize trail and art activities where children can create a sword, amulet or crown.

It follows the 2010 *Inspiring Middle Earth* exhibition at the museum, which also featured Mr Nasmith's work.

A January 1965 letter from the author's Headington home in Oxford says: "Though now 73, I still have a lot to say and to write."

And he said in 1972, a year before his death: "I wish I felt as well as people say I look."

Deputy council leader George Reynolds said: "Banbury Museum continues to mount intriguing and thought-provoking exhibitions."

"As we enter 2013 this new display is no exception. The chance to see these artworks and rare letters, combined with the increased interest in Hobbits resulting from the new film, will ensure that this exhibition is bound to be well attended."

The exhibition is open Monday-Saturday from 10am-5pm to February 2, except for December 23 to 26 and January 1.

For information call 01295 753752 or visit banburymuseum.org



Banbury Museum's exhibitions manager Dale Johnston at the *Journeys into Middle Earth* display, looking at paintings and prints by Ted Nasmith

InBRIEF

Bones of a human found

■ **MIDDLETON CHENEY:** Human remains were found at a building site in the town. Builders discovered bones of an adult aged 25 to 45 on Thursday, December 6.

Northamptonshire Police are working with archaeologists to determine the age of the remains, though police said they were not thought to be recent.

The cause of death is not yet known.

Burglars take jewellery

■ **TWYFORD:** A back door was smashed at a house in Rochester Way before cash and jewellery was stolen.

The burglary happened between 9.25am and 3pm on Friday, November 23.

Call 101 with information.

School plans are approved

■ **BANBURY:** Councillors have approved major plans to develop Tudor Hall School in Wyckham Lane.

The boarding school can extend the sports hall and build a two-storey teaching building to replace two, single-storey 1970s buildings.

'Learn lessons from Leon's death'

THE family of a young man found hanged at the golf course where he lived and worked hope his death will act as a warning to others.

An inquest into the death of Leon Preedy, 22, ruled that he took his own life on July 10 at Banbury Golf Course in Adderbury.

The inquest heard that



Mr Preedy had a history of mental health issues and had left a note.

After the hearing on

December 4 at County Hall in New Road, Oxford, Mr Preedy's mum Traci Guy-Smith said: "What young people can take from what Leon did is to realise that there are other options, rather than getting down and giving in."

The inquest heard that Olly Boys, a lawn technician, called the ambu-

lance at 7.30pm on July 10.

Elizabeth Clarke, forensic toxicologist, said a low level of diazepam and cannabis was found in his body.

Oxfordshire coroner Darren Salter recorded a verdict of taking his own life and said: "How very sad it is to lose Leon at a very young age."

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Home for single teenage mums celebrates its 10th anniversary 'Rachel House has turned lives round'



Edith Mulondo, who has lived at Rachel House, home for teenage mums, with her four-month-old son Brayden

HOMELESS, in debt and struggling with alcohol, single mum Edith Mulondo had hit rock bottom.

But after two years at a centre which helps young parents, the 24-year-old has turned her life around.

Rachel House this month celebrates 10 years of helping more than 200 women get on to the straight and narrow.

It was set up by Sanctuary Housing after concerns about Banbury's teenage pregnancy rate, which was twice the national average.

Miss Mulondo said: "I was homeless. I had no job, I had debts and I had a baby. I was a single mum, I had no family or friends to turn to.

"When I came to Rachel House I was a little bit scared because I thought they take away your independence."

But she said she received vital support from the 11-bed Dashwood Road facility, which takes parents aged 16-24.

This included helping her manage

By Oliver Evans

her finances and maintaining a healthy lifestyle, said Miss Mulondo, who came with son Bentley.

After getting caught in a circle of depression, drinking and sleeping on friends' sofas, she said the centre gave her a new lease of life.

"I am free of those now. I have learned how to live independently, I have gained a lot of confidence and self-esteem.

"Some of the girls don't take the chance on Rachel House but I have been telling them 'look at me, Rachel House has transformed me into somebody who has hope'."

Now Miss Mulondo has moved into a Sanctuary home and has another son, four-month-old Brayden.

She is also taking a degree in youth and charity work at Ruskin College, Oxford, alongside volunteering in the Bretch Hill area of Banbury.

The centre – which is funded by Oxfordshire County Council – provides

24/7 on-site support for residents, who stay an average six to 12 months.

Local service manager Louise Powell said: "When I first met Edith she was very worried about coming here.

"She was quite shy and nervous and we have seen her really flourish."

The centre helps mums who would otherwise struggle to maintain tenancies because of issues like antisocial behaviour, she said.

Many have been through the care system or abusive relationships, while others have fallen out with their parents.

She said: "By coming somewhere like this it has helped to address those problems.

"We would only move people out when they can demonstrate independence."

The centre has a "near 100 per cent success rate" and a waiting list of about 15, she added.

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■ Former Banbury woman beaten to death in odd-job man's caravan

Brutal killer faces 30 years in prison



Jennifer Hume

A NATIONAL Front sympathiser who beat a grandmother to death in his caravan will serve a minimum of 30 years in prison.

Stewart Dale said he did not know why he punched and kicked Jennifer Hume, formerly of Banbury, unconscious, before battering her with a light fitting and then using a cosh and knife.

The 28-year-old even tried to cut off her right hand, Guildford Crown Court heard during a four-day trial that came to an end on December 6.

A jury of nine men and three women took just over half an hour to return a unanimous guilty verdict to murder.

Judge Christopher Critchlow, jailing the odd-job man, said: "What you did to Jennifer Hume was some of the worst violence that any court or jury may be unfortunate enough to hear."

Describing the defendant's actions as sadistic and "wholly inappropriate brutality", the judge ordered jurors exemption for life from serving again if they wanted.

By Ben Wilkinson

Police officers and forensics experts were stunned by the horror that met them at the scene, with a blood spatter expert determining that "fierce and ferocious blows" had been used on the 55-year-old victim.

The jury had heard how the defendant and victim had been out drinking with others in Oxford on May 17.

They ended up taking a taxi back to Dale's home, at Prospect Park caravan site, in Horspath.

He claimed that while there they went to bed and tried but failed to have sex, after which she grabbed hold of his genitals and pulled them hard.

Her actions made him feel scared and threatened.

After adjusting a blind in the bedroom, he began raining down punches and kicks on Mrs Hume, of Hamel Walk, Oxford.

Dale denied murder but admitted manslaughter by way of loss of control.

After the verdict, prosecutor Ann Evans told the court Dale had a previous conviction from 2007, relating to two separate incidents, when he used racially threatening or abusive words or behaviour while at marches with the far-right National Front.

She read excerpts from statements made by the victim's family.

Mrs Hume's daughter Claire said: "I wish to express my desire to talk to mum.

"I wish I could hold her and tell her I love her, or send her a text message and get a reply.

"This will never happen."

The victim's brother, Billy, who was the only relation "strong enough" to endure the trial, said: "If there is any form of justice, his life should be taken away.

"He's been in court saying he killed my sister and I can't do anything about it. I feel useless."

Nicholas Rhodes QC, for the defence, offered no mitigation as he said he could find none.

InBRIEF

Bid to build 12 homes

■ **STEEPLE ASTON:** A planning application has been submitted for 12 homes.

Sovereign Housing Association Ltd has applied to put two- to four-bedroom houses and one- to two-bedroom flats on land by the Fenway and west of Shepherd's Hill.

Cherwell District Council will make a decision.

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■ **BANBURY:** Charity volunteers have been given a boost by a county motor dealer to help distribute more than 300 food parcels.

Banbury Cross Round Table has been lent two 4x4 pick-up trucks by Firs Garage of Hook Norton.

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School catering worker exposed himself on first day

A SCHOOL caterer who lied about his criminal past to get a job, exposed himself on his first day at work.

Luke Blencowe did not mention his previous convictions when he took the job with the catering contractors at Kingham Hill School in May.

The independent boarding and day school in Kingham, near Chipping Norton, teaches boys and girls aged 11-19.

Blencowe, of Hill Rise, Great Rollright, exposed his genitals there on Monday, June 11, Banbury Magistrates' Court heard.

But after being sacked by catering firm Holroyd Howe he went on to expose himself in Banbury in July and in Headington, Oxford, in September.

Kingham Hill School refused to say where on the premises the incident happened and what Blencowe's job was.

But school spokesman Steve King said: "Luke Blencowe was briefly employed by Holroyd Howe, the external company that provides the school's catering services."

"He was arrested on Tuesday, June 12, on suspicion of indecent exposure. This followed an incident on the school site

during Monday, June 11. The school acted swiftly, liaising with the police and with Luke Blencowe's employer."

Ronan Harte, managing director of Holroyd Howe, apologised for the incident, but moved to reassure parents.

He said: "I can confirm that the individual concerned was employed by us but was instantly dismissed when we became aware of his actions."

"We place the highest priority on the safety and wellbeing of children at the schools where we operate."

"We are extremely sorry for any distress caused."

Blencowe admitted intentionally exposing his genitals at the school, again in Calthorpe Street, Banbury, on July 30, and in Headington, on September 24.

He also admitted fraud after failing to disclose his previous convictions to gain paid employment.

He was sentenced at Banbury Magistrates' Court on October 26, and magistrates ordered the 22-year-old be admitted and detained at Vista Healthcare Independent Hospital in Hampshire.

He was also made to sign the sex offenders' register for the next seven years.

InBRIEF

MP supports CQC alerts

N OXON: Banbury MP Sir Tony Baldry is urging residents to find out more about inspections of health and social care providers.

People can now sign up for email alerts to be told about latest inspections in their area by the Care Quality Commission, the official care regulator.

Sir Tony, joint co-chairman of the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Carers, said the move "will make it easier for anyone to get involved in the process and become more informed about care in their area".

To sign up visit cqc.org.uk/emailalerts

Fundraising church event

■ ADDERBURY: A candle-lit concert will be held to raise funds for cash-strapped St Mary's Church.

Sunday's concert will begin at 7pm and features the Cathedral Singers of Christ Church Oxford.

Tickets are available at Adderbury Library, on the door or by calling 01295 810386 or 01295 811059.

The church has warned of "unsustainable" financial losses and is facing a £10,000 deficit.

Town witnesses an irruption in numbers of hungry waxwings

OXFORDSHIRE has been inundated with colourful visitors from Scandinavia.

These beautiful waxwings have been seen gorging themselves on berries in Banbury in the past few days.

Wildlife photographer George Reszeter, who snapped these pictures, said: "You get these explosions of them every few years."

"It is like a holiday for them, because there is always a lot of food on rowan trees in housing estates."

"They are very attractive so they always cause quite a stir when they visit."

Although they do not breed in the UK, the birds migrate here in large numbers, called irruptions, when food supplies run short in their native Scandinavia.

They can be seen on rowan and hawthorn between October and March.



Family pays tributes to mother-of-two

Husband faces murder charge

By Joe Nimmo

THE husband of Bicester beautician Janeé Parsons sobbed in the dock when he appeared at Oxford Crown Court accused of her murder.

Relatives of both Andrew Parsons, right, who plays football for a team in Banbury, and Janeé, 31, sat in the public gallery as the 38-year-old made his second court appearance of the day on December 4.

Earlier he had spoken only to confirm his name and age in a short appearance at Oxford Magistrates' Court just after 10am.

He was charged with murdering his wife after the mother-of-two's body was found in the family's home in Lucerne Avenue, Bicester, on Saturday, December 1.

Easington Social player Parsons, who appeared in court wearing a dark blazer and red shirt, could be seen wiping away tears as he sat in the dock.

He did not apply for bail and was remanded in custody until Monday, February 11, when he will be asked to enter a plea.

Members of Mr Parsons' family also shed tears and cried out as he was led away by court guards.

Mrs Parsons died from stab wounds following reports of a disturbance at the couple's home at just after 10am.

Despite attempts to resuscitate her she was declared dead at the John Radcliffe Hospital in Oxford.

Mrs Parsons' family paid tribute to their "gift from God".

The mother-of-two was born in Texas in the USA, and lived with Mr Parsons and their two children Owen, eight, and Max, five.

Janeé mother Mary Brady said: "Janeé made me laugh and cry and was one of the brightest lights in my



life. She was a wonderful mother and was a tireless worker. I will deeply miss her and cherish her as the great gift from God that she was."

"She always wanted to be the best and smartest at everything she did. She very rarely took 'no' for an answer and her attention to detail was easily seen through her children and her career."

Phil Brady, her adopted father, added: "Janeé left a huge impact on everyone she met, whether an acquaintance or myself, her father for 27 years."

"There will never be a day in my life that Janeé will not be missed."

And her father John Jacks said: "She was a child who never disappointed me and was very honest and loyal. I now have a tremendous hole in my heart."

Her sister Jocelyn Brady said: "She was the most passionate, vivacious and magnetic person I've ever known."

"A piece of me died the day she died."

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The loss of two players on the eve of match doesn't stop Puritans recording much-needed victory

Classy United beat Bashley

BANBURY United's topsy-turvy season continued with a notable Evo-Stik Southern League Premier Division victory over in-form Bashley at the Spencer Stadium on Saturday.

The Hampshire visitors arrived at the ground on the back of three consecutive wins, but showed little craft against a dominant Banbury.

The display was all the more impressive as two key players – goalkeeper Dean Coleman and striker Tom Lorraine – left to join Halesowen Town and Bedworth United respectively on the eve of the match.

After home keeper Kwame Fordah saved Gary Middleton's header in the third minute, it was Banbury who held sway.

They created an early opening when a shot from Kynan Isaac flew just inches wide of Stewart Kearn's left-hand post.

Luke Cray then saw a weak effort saved by Kearn.

The Puritans continued to look the better side, and it was no surprise when they took the lead in the 27th minute.

Isaac got on to the end of a through ball from Marvin Martin and cleverly lifted it over the

Banbury Utd	3
(Isaac 27, Talabi 60, Skendi 75)	
Bashley	1
(Richardson 77)	

advancing Kearn into the corner of the net.

Edwin Stein's team continued to dictate affairs and they made it 2-0 on the hour.

Adam Fry's free kick took a deflection off the wall, with the ball falling nicely into the path of striker Adeyinka Talabi who had the easy task of stroking it home from six yards.

The third Banbury goal arrived on 75 minutes when a cross from the left by Isaac was met by Albi Skendi. Although his initial shot from six yards was well saved, Skendi made no mistake with the rebound.

Just two minutes after going 3-0 down, Bashley replied when a cross from the right was headed down to skipper Ian Richardson who tapped the ball home.

But Banbury suffered no more alarms as they moved further away from the relegation zone. **Banbury Utd:** (Isaac, Cray, Martin, Blossom, Ashton, Plowright, Fry, Dumbleton 63), Bridges, Skendi, Isaac, Talabi. Subs not used: Plowright, Ryan, Bodger.

Audience: 208



ON THE MARK: Kynan Isaac, left, and Adeyinka Talabi scored the first two goals in Banbury United's 3-1 win

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Things must get better for this *Hobbit* trilogy

THE HOBBIT: AN UNEXPECTED JOURNEY (12A, 166 minutes)

Action/Adventure. Martin Freeman, Ian McKellen, Richard Armitage, Andy Serkis, William Kircher, James Nesbitt, Stephen Hunter, Ken Stott, Graham McTavish, Dean O'Gorman, Aidan Turner, Mark Hadlow, Jed Brophy, Adam Brown, Peter Hambleton, John Callen, Jeffrey Thomas, Cate Blanchett, Hugo Weaving, Barry Humphries, Ian Holm, Elijah Wood. Director: Peter Jackson.

THERE is a moment early in *The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey* when Gandalf The Grey (Sir Ian McKellen) turns to diminutive hero Bilbo Baggins (Martin Freeman) and counsels: "All good stories deserve embellishment."

Director Peter Jackson and co-writers Fran Walsh, Philippa Boyens and Guillermo del Toro have taken the wise wizard's words to heart and embellished JRR Tolkien's novel to the point of creative obesity.

Visually stunning flashbacks, which fail to advance the plot, are roughly hewn into a sprawling narrative that doesn't kick into second gear for a good 45 minutes.

In the first deviation from the text, Jackson opens his picture at Bag End with the elderly Bilbo (Ian Holm) penning a book to his cousin Frodo (Elijah Wood).

We rewind 60 years to meet Bilbo (Freeman) in the Shire as he encounters Gandalf (McKellen) and a 13-

strong company of dwarves, who intend to reclaim their lost gold from the dragon Smaug in his mountain lair.

After a sleepless night, Bilbo agrees to accompany dwarf leader Thorin Oakenshield (Richard Armitage) and his troops on their perilous mission.

"Axe or sword – what is your weapon of choice?" Thorin asks Bilbo.

"Well, I do have some skills with conkers," meekly replies the hobbit.

En route, the brave souls encounter elvish allies including Elrond (Hugo Weaving) and Galadriel (Cate Blanchett), as well as wretched Gollum (Andy Serkis) and the corpulent Goblin King (Barry Humphries).

The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey reunites Jackson with cast and crew of the *Lord Of The Rings* trilogy including cinematographer Andrew Leslie and composer Howard Shore.

The writer-director employs the same visual lexicon: sweeping aerial shots of characters traipsing over New Zealand landscapes, close-ups of ethereal figures in deep contemplation.

Nerve-wracking scenes with Gollum are undoubtedly the highlight of this opening salvo.

An hour of substance is bloated to 166 minutes of digital trickery and breathless action sequences including a protracted chase through the subterranean lair of the goblins.

One plot strand, involving a Necromancer gaining power in his stronghold at Dol Guldur, dangles



Martin Freeman, front, as Bilbo Baggins in *The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey*

tantalisingly in the background and will presumably be stitched into the narrative in the second film.

Freeman brings a touch of humour to his pint-sized weakling, who learns that "true courage is knowing not when to take a life but when to spare one".

When Bilbo remarks: "I do believe the worst is behind us," we know he must be joking, else the next two chapters, *Desolation Of Smaug* and *There And Back Again*, released in 2013 and 2014 respectively will be exceedingly dull affairs.

CakeWhat's on

Music

FRIDAY: Muskateer, Ruscote Avenue, Banbury: North Street – rock and pop duo. Free. 9pm. 01295 269296.

New Inn, Main Road, Middleton Cheney: Pete McCray, with soul and reggae. Free. 9pm. 01295 710399.

St Mary's Church, Church Street, Chipping Norton: Wychwod Choral Christmas Concert. 6.30pm. Free. 01608 646202.

SATURDAY: St Mary's Church, Horsefair, Banbury: Family Christmas Festival of Music. 4.30-6pm. Banbury Symphony Orchestra and a solo performance from the Rotary Young Musician of the Year, Serena Holbech. £6, children £3. 01295 262393.

SUNDAY: Church, North Side, Steeple Aston: Come and Sing with Nicholas Cleobury. Steeple Aston Choral Society event. Meet 1pm to collect music, the rehearsal 2pm. All the music to be learned in one day. Supper break 5pm (village hall, £8 per person).

Evening performance 6.30pm. Village hall supper £8; evening concert £5 (audience tickets) 01869 349099.

Cinema

Odeon, Horsefair, Banbury: *Rise of the Guardians*, PG, Fri-Tue, Thu 3pm, Wed 2.15pm. *The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey*, 12A, Fri-Tue 7.30pm, Wed 7pm; (3-D) daily 12.30pm, 4, 8pm. *The Life of Pi*, 12A (3-D) Thu 8.30pm. *Nativity II – Danger in the Manger*, U, Fri 12pm, Fri, Mon-Tue, Thu 12.45pm, Fri-Tue, Thu 5.15pm, Wed 4.30pm. Senior Screen: *The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel*, 12A, Wed 10.15am. Odeon Kids: *Arthur Christmas*, U, Sat-Sun 10.30am. Autism-friendly screening: *Nativity II – Danger in the Manger*, U, Sun 11.30am. 0871 224 4007.

The Theatre, 2 Spring Street, Chipping Norton: Next film will be *Rust and Bone*, Jan 10. 01608 642350

Theatre

The Mill Arts Centre, Spiceball

Park, Banbury: Dec 14, Dylan Project. More than just a Bob Dylan tribute band. £16. 8pm. Dec 16, King Pleasure and the Biscuit Boys. 7pm. £15. Cabaret seating.

Dec 18, A Very Snowy Christmas. Suitable for ages 3-7. 11am. £6/£22 family ticket. 01295 279002

The Theatre, Spring Street, Chipping Norton: Until Jan 6, *Cinderella* by Ben Crocker. Performances: 1.45pm Dec 4-14; 2pm Dec 15-16, Dec 22-24, Dec 29-31; Jan 5-6; 4pm Dec 17, 19-21, Dec 26-28, Jan 2-4; 6pm 15-16, 22-24, 29-31, Jan 5-6; 7.30pm Dec 13-14, 17, 19-21, 26-28, Jan 2-4. Tickets £18 (concession £13.50); £21 (conc £18); £23 and £25 (no conc). Standing £5. Concessions for under-16s, over-60s and benefit claimants. (Performances 10.15am, 1.45pm all tickets £11). Dec 18, *Mark Steel's In Town*. A bespoke stand-up show in front of a local audience. Free. 7.30pm. 01608 642350

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 Don't talk about people whose lives you don't really know the finer details of. Your love life is going to be keeping us all entertained over the coming weeks, but whether you leave this month laughing or crying depends on whether a certain person makes you a very important offer. Give me a call now to hear why this is a Christmas to mix past and present.

CANCER Jun 21-Jul 22
 Can't pretend to work. You're wasting as much time with this game playing as you would if you were really doing what's required. Test and exams loom and you'd be a fool to turn your back on them; they're likely to be easier than you'd dreamed. Give me a call now to hear how I know you can make this your best Christmas yet.

CAPRICORN Dec 22-Jan 19
 Energy levels are all over the place. You must try to stop talking in riddles and start telling your friends the facts or you are never going to get the right advice. Scorpios seem to want too much of you this month and you may have to be cruel to be kind lest you end up sacrificing important action in your love life. Phone me now to hear why.

LEO Jul 23-Aug 22
 This is a really important time for you in relationships, as by the way that you interact with the people around you you'll finally gain a circle of friends that really will be with you for life. A promise is broken for next weekend but will turn out to make room for a better alternative. Call me now to hear your Christmas stars.

AQUARIUS Jan 20-Feb 18
 Overactive emotions are making it very easy for other people to manipulate you. Try not to give in to plans you know will make you miserable. It's time to start living your own life again and if that means saying no, then so be it my friend. A newfound energy given to you as an early Christmas present by the stars helps you to make a life changing decision. Call now to reveal your destiny.

VIRGO Aug 23-Sep 22
 A better working week is put in place and this could be to do with the more approachable area the stars are placing many of the signs in. Is it wrong to mix business and pleasure? Not this week Virgo. In fact, plans which are laid down this week can make for your most prosperous year ahead you've seen. Give me a call now to hear why it's imperative you don't spread rumours.

PISCES Feb 19-Mar 20
 Something which you have been worrying about getting out of hand is given a blessing by the stars and you realise you no longer have to stress about what is going to happen. You're back in control but there will have been some hard lessons learnt. Never a sign to do anything by halves, you are left with the realisation that you would rather have your life than that of anyone you know. Call now for more insight.

ARIES Mar 21-Apr 19
 Your energy levels return and you finally agree to make plans for Christmas and New Year. Try not to make fun of a friend who has made a rather peculiar choice with their life. There was a time not so long ago when you took a stand which you now know was wrong, so give them support, and you could just find a friend for life. Give me a call now to hear who can be trusted with your secrets.

LIBRA Sep 23-Oct 22
 Stress is evident in your chart but there is much you can do this week to get rid of it for good. You see, you have finally realised that a certain road you have been travelling down is not working and you seem to be more worried about the embarrassment that admitting such a fact will bring. Not half as much as the relief you'll gain when it's gone, so stay strong. Phone me so I can help you.

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Novel addition to city car market

By David Duffy

IF the Skoda Citigo was a book and you were to judge it by its cover you might easily dismiss it as a lightweight paperback with little real substance.

But while this compact hatchback is no heavyweight tome, there is a lot more to it than meets the eye.

The sixth model in Skoda's line-up, priced from about £7,600, it is the Czech car maker's first city car. That in itself is something of a misnomer, as the spacious little car is much more capable than simply being used as a city runabout.

All models use a 1.0-litre, three-cylinder petrol engine. The three-door test model had the 60 horsepower stop-start version, which, as we will see, is more than capable of whizzing you around the countryside, but there is also a 75 horsepower version for folk who want a little extra punch.

As its name suggests, the car, just given *What Car?* magazine's green supermini award, is among the most compact models in its sector and perfect for sprinting around town, slipping into less-than-generous parking spaces and generally making itself useful in tight spots.

While it is small on the outside, it is more than capable of carrying four adults and has a deep, and surprisingly large, boot. If you want

more load space, then simply pull the handles on the rear seats and fold both of them flat to give more than enough space to handle, in my case, a sizeable pile of fishing tackle, including a pair of 6ft 6in-long rods, while still leaving ample space for a large passenger.

The little car effortlessly absorbed a 300-mile day return trip to Dorset without drama, leaving me feeling completely unfazed. The good news on the engine front is that it happily cruises at up to 60mph on cross-country roads, while still delivering 60mpg fuel consumption.

As this was a solo trip, a welcome high-tech companion on the journey was the so-called Personal Infotainment Device, a dashboard-mounted, smartphone-sized touch-screen device, that delivers everything from colour satnav, complete with directions from the slightly officious, posh-sounding 'Henry' [I



AWARD WINNER: *What Car?* magazine voted the Citigo green supermini of the year

turned him off] to a Bluetooth phone link, media player and a comprehensive read-out of car information from fuel consumption to trip data.

The Slovakian-built Citigo comes in a choice of three trim levels and the top-level Elegance test model was fitted with all manner of upmarket features from heated front seats to a leather-trimmed steering wheel.

Safety is top-notch too, with a five-star EuroNCAP safety rating, and features available including the City Safe Drive active brake assistant and head/thorax side airbag. All in all a nippy, and novel, addition to an expanding value-for-money line-up.

Auto facts

Model: Skoda Citigo 1.0 MPI
GreenTech
Price: £9,470
Insurance group: 2 (1-50)
Fuel consumption (Combined): 68.9mpg
Top speed: 100mph
Length: 356.3cm/140.3in
Width: 164.1cm/64.6in
Luggage capacity: 8.8 cu ft
Fuel tank capacity: 7.7 gallons/35litres
CO2 emissions: 96g/km
Warranty: Three years/60,000 miles

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'Business as usual' for car trade values

RESEARCH for CAP Black Book Live reveals it's "business as usual" for trade values as the year draws to a close.

Reporting on market conditions at the end of November, Black Book Live noted that the weekly fluctuations in trade values over the course of the month had largely been in line with typical winter seasonal performance.

Fuelled by a level of retail consumer demand on the forecourt that has remained constant all year, dealer appetite for high-quality three-year-old cars is strong.

But those "ready to retail" cars are increasingly rare as the market is flooded with ex-fleet cars up

to 50 months old and with high mileages. Those cars attract high preparation costs for dealers, which eats too far into margins for comfort.

These factors are reflected in the auction hall where some cars that failed to sell first time are being re-entered anything up to four times before an acceptable bid is received.

However, dealers are still buying stock in preparation for the traditional January surge in retail activity, according to Black Book Live.

But there are signs that CAP's original expectations that trade prices would perform strongly until at least the middle of next year may have to be revised.

CAP's Mike Hind says: "Our view now is that the only restraint on a substantial rise in values during the first part of 2013 is pre-registrations and the pressure on prices created by a super-abundance of late plate cars. While we continue to expect prices to rise into January, we are no longer as confident as we were that values will continue to increase into the summer."

"This may be good news for hard-pressed dealers but fleet and contract hire disposers – and anyone else selling their cars into the trade – need to be aware that the on-going level of pre-registration activity will inevitably impact the market."

Wheelsanddeals

■ SUBARU has confirmed a new version of the Forester SUV for next year, with a choice of three engines and two gearboxes. The Forester is set to be faster and more efficient than the outgoing model, but will keep the signature Symmetrical All-Wheel-Drive system that gives Subaru cars their fabled traction. It is claimed that the cabin will be larger and more practical, although how so has not yet been revealed. The flagship is a new 2.0-litre 276bhp turbocharged petrol unit, maintaining Subaru's heritage of building fast four-wheel-drive cars.

■ KIA has released a concept drawing of its forthcoming pro_ceed GT. The GT will be the first performance-biased Kia ever to leave the factory, and it is hoped that the model will make inroads into what is still a lucrative corner of the European car market. Confirmed details are few. The pro_ceed GT will have a turbocharged 1.6-litre GDI petrol engine; power output is expected to be about 180bhp.

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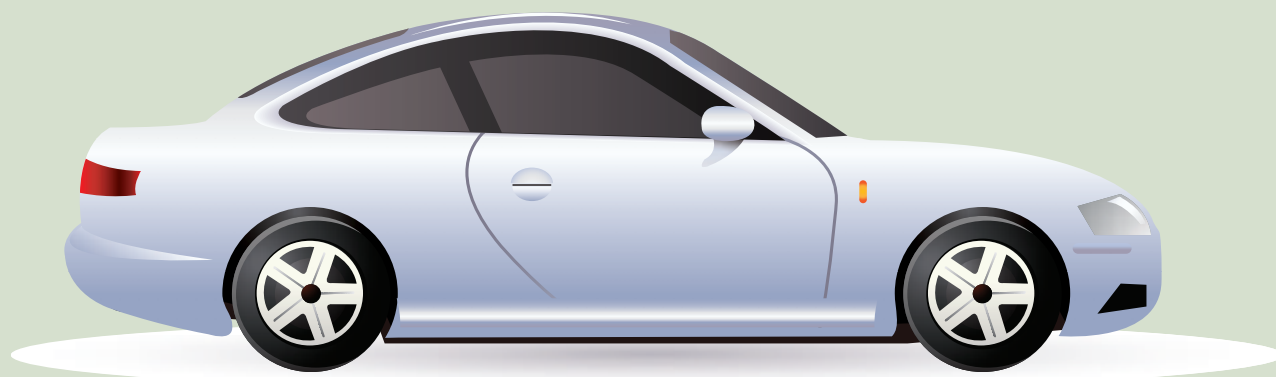
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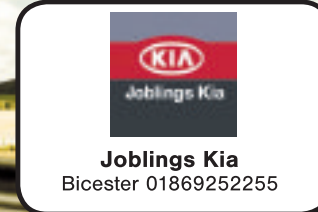
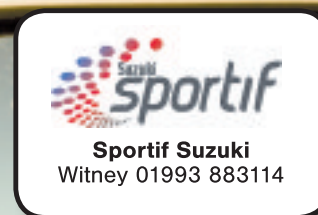


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